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Letter dated 27 April 2017 from the Permanent Representative of India to the United Nations addressed to the Chair of the Committee

On behalf of the Government of India, I have the honour to submit to the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1718 (2006) the national report of India, prepared in accordance with paragraph 36 of resolution 2321 (2016), on concrete measures taken by India to implement effectively the provisions of various resolutions related to the Democratic People's Republic of Korea (see annex).

(*Signed*) Syed **Akbaruddin**

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Annex to the letter dated 27 April 2017 from the Permanent Representative of India to the United Nations addressed to the Chair of the Committee

Report of India on the implementation of Security Council resolution 2321 (2016) and other resolutions relating to the Democratic People's Republic of Korea

1. India is committed to the implementation of Security Council resolutions 1718 (2006), 1874 (2009), 2087 (2013), 2094 (2013), 2270 (2016) and 2321 (2016) relating to the Democratic People's Republic of Korea. National reports were submitted to the Security Council Committee in March 2007 and June 2010.

2. Following the adoption of resolutions 2270 (2016) and 2321 (2016), the Government of India held inter-agency consultations regarding its commitments and obligations under the relevant resolutions on the Democratic People's Republic of Korea.

3. The concrete legislative measures taken recently by India to implement effectively the provisions of various resolutions related to the Democratic People's Republic of Korea are as follows:

(i) Order dated 21 April 2017 issued by the Ministry of External Affairs under the United Nations (Security Council) Act, 1947.

The Order seeks to amalgamate and consolidate the measures specified in the relevant resolutions on the Democratic People's Republic of Korea. It will enable the implementation of measures relating to, inter alia, asset freezes, travel bans, shipping, inspections and financial measures. The Order is available in the public domain (www.mea.gov.in).

(ii) Notification dated 21 March 2017 issued by the Director General of Foreign Trade under the Foreign Trade (Development and Regulation) Act of 1992.

The Notification seeks to specifically regulate trade (exports and imports) with the Democratic People's Republic of Korea to ensure effective compliance with the measures specified in the relevant resolutions on the Democratic People's Republic of Korea. The Notification is available in the public domain (www.dgft.gov.in).

4. The competent authorities in the Government have been informed of the legislative measures outlined in paragraph 3. These authorities will ensure that the relevant provisions of the resolutions on the Democratic People's Republic of Korea are implemented in letter and spirit and in accordance with relevant domestic laws, regulations and administrative procedures.